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## RESPONSE TO ELECTION / RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

#### Sir/Madam:

In response to the Office Action dated June 13, 2007 in connection with the above-identified patent application, please consider the following amendments and remarks.

# AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

### **REMARKS**

Remarks begin on page 3 of this paper.